

Docket No. 249607US2S DIV
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hideo ANDO, et al.
SERIAL NO: 10/803,058
FILED: March 18, 2004
FOR: INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, INFORMATION RECORDING METHOD AND APPARATUS, AND INFORMATION PLAYBACK METHOD AND APPARATUS



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SIR:
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
 Additional documents filed herewith: Petition to Make Special Under MPEP §708.02(VIII)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	4	MINUS	20	0	x \$18 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	MINUS	4	0	x \$88 =	\$0.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition to Make Special Filing Fee						\$130.00
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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.